



City Of Raleigh

North Carolina

The Raleigh Mayor's Committee for Persons with Disabilities has funding from the City of Raleigh to award two scholarships for \$1,000 each to assist persons with documented disabilities in their pursuit of academic and vocational endeavors.

The academic scholarship is to be awarded to a person with a disability who is pursuing an educational goal. This scholarship is designed to assist with tuition, books, fees, and/or special equipment for undergraduate course work from an accredited institution.

The vocational scholarship is to assist an individual with a disability to pursue a vocational education. This money may be applied to the purchase of items such as tools, work shoes or special equipment or tuition and fees to enhance and sustain employment opportunities.

Applicants must be residents of the City of Raleigh and must be enrolled in our or have been accepted to an accredited undergraduate post secondary school, college, trade school or other institution of higher learning.

The selection of scholarship recipients shall be based upon academic performance, financial need, character, school, work and community activities, honors, ability to express him/herself in written form, personal motivation and/or leadership potential.

The Scholarship Application must be received by The Raleigh Mayor's Committee at the address below by **May 30, 2009**. Scholarship recipients will be recognized at the July Raleigh Mayor's Committee meeting. For questions, please call Lori Millette at 919-716-3122

This program will provide an investment in the capability of our disability community at large.

COMMUNITY SERVICES
RALEIGH MAYOR'S COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES
ATTENTION: LORI MILLETTE
SCHOLARSHIP SELECTION COMMITTEE
310 WEST MARTIN STREET
POST OFFICE BOX 590
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RALEIGH MAYOR'S COMMITTEE FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

2009 SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION

The Raleigh Mayor's Committee for Persons with Disabilities will award two \$1000 scholarships to students with documented disabilities. Applicants must be **residents** of the City of Raleigh and must be enrolled in or have been accepted to an accredited undergraduate post secondary school, college, trade school or other institution of higher learning.

The selection of scholarship recipients shall be based upon academic performance, financial need, character, school and community activities, honors or awards, and ability to express him/herself in written form, personal motivation and/or leadership potential.

1. Applicant Data

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Alternate Phone Number: _____

Email: _____ (optional)

2. Type of Scholarship Applying for:

(Please check only one)

_____ Academic

_____ Vocational

3. Parent or Guardian Information

Last Name: _____ First Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Alternate Phone Number: _____

Email: _____ Fax: _____

Parent or Guardian's Signature: _____

I certify that all information in this scholarship application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

4. High School Data

School Name: _____

Graduation Date: _____ **(Month and Year) Grade Point Average:** _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Guidance Counselor Name: _____

Guidance Counselor Signature: _____

I certify that all information in this scholarship application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Telephone Number: _____ **E-mail Address:** _____

5. College Data

School Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Telephone Number: _____ **Fax:** _____

Expected Graduation Date: _____ **Grade Point Average:** _____

Are you presently enrolled? No _____ Yes _____ **Date:** _____

6. Extra Curricular Activities and/or Work

List all school, community, or work activities which you have been involved with during the past three years including any offices held. Indicate when you participated in these activities (high school, college) or if these activities are on-going.

7. *Honors*

List honors or awards received and corresponding dates.

8. *Goals and Objectives*

On a separate sheet of paper, write an essay telling why you feel you deserve this scholarship. Please include your educational and/or career goals and objectives. Essay must be typed and must not exceed 400 words.

9. *Applicant's Signature:*

_____ **Date:** _____
I certify that all information in this scholarship application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge.

10. *Materials to be Included*

For your application to be considered, your application materials must include **official copies** of all high school and (if applicable) undergraduate transcripts and a copy of your **college acceptance letter**. Your application and all supporting documents must be **received** by:

May 30, 2009

Please send completed application and supporting documents to:

Community Services
Raleigh Mayor's Committee for Persons with Disabilities
Attention: Lori Millette
Scholarship Selection Committee
310 West Martin Street
P.O. Box 590
Raleigh, NC 27602

For questions, please call Lori Millette at 919-716-3122.